

PRESIDENT: Call of the house is raised, excuse me.

SENATOR VICKERS: But it seems to me that if you are going to adopt that concept you ought to at least have a little more input in it. But recognizing the mood of this body to go ahead and adopt the concept, I'll withdraw the motion. I'll let you go ahead and make bad policy. But when you begin to hear from your constituents, when you begin to hear from those people out there that suddenly we've got a two-tiered system, or a three-tiered system actually on the roads of this state, then maybe you can explain to them why you did it. Thank you, Mr. President. I would like to withdraw that motion.

PRESIDENT: The motion is withdrawn.

CLERK: I have nothing further on the bill, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Withem, do you want to move...

SENATOR WITHEM: I move the advancement.

PRESIDENT: Motion is to advance LB 437 from Select File. It is debatable. Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, I will be brief, but I want this into the record. If I were a lawyer I would love this bill. I'd have truckers coming to me every time they got a ticket and I'd win. I've given people advice on radar tickets because I know what the law requires, and a lot of times the officer giving the ticket does not. So the scenario is very simple. The officer has to testify and tell why he or she gave the ticket. The officer, if he or she is silly enough to try to enforce something like this, will have to say that the vehicle was within 300 feet of the other one on the highway and it fitted the description of such a vehicle. And then you ask, how long did you observe this vehicle the officer tells. How fast was the front vehicle going? Well, I really don't know. You didn't clock the vehicle? No. How fast was the vehicle behind going? I don't know. Was the one behind traveling faster than the one in front? Well, I didn't make that determination. Then how do you know that the person as not complying with the portion of the law that says they can be within 300 feet if they are in the process